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## AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION WITH REQUESTS FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND INTERVIEW

## Mail Stop AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This paper is being submitted in response to the Office Action mailed March 15, 2004, which set a three-month period for reply. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136(a) and 1.17(a), a three-month extension of the term for reply is respectfully requested, i.e., to up to and including September 15, 2004. Submitted herewith is a check in the amount of \$950.00, in payment of the fee required therefore. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additionally required fee, or credit any overpayment in fees, to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.